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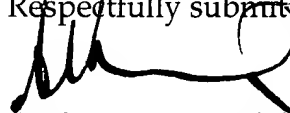
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We enclose herewith:

- ☒ Utility Patent Application Transmittal
- ☒ New Patent Application including Specification with Claims (35 pages) and Abstract ( 1 page)
- ☒ One (1 ) Sheet of drawings
- ☒ Declaration
- ☒ Acknowledgment Postcard

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